permanent chairman, and on taking his | son county. eat spoke as follows:
"I trust we have all come here to-day in the true spirit of national Republicanism. We belong to a party of broad national conceptions, a party which has written the words 'national union' in such large and resplendent capitals across the American flag that they can now almost be seen looking from the steps of the Governor's mansion in Springfield, clear to the great city of Chicago. Yes, these grand words, thanks to the Republican party, can now be seen and read high over the resplendent city of Washington from the furthest confines of the State of Texas. Even a Democratic President, thank God, can now recognize and read that splendid legend and, as Republicans, we honor him for the clarified vision which enables even a follower of Jefferson to behold the splendor, the security and the imposing dignity of a potent national union. As the past of the Republican party is full of inspiring memories, so our surroundings to-day are equally sacred. The Republicans of Illinois have no Tammany, either complete or in process of organization, to take the responsibility of party action off their hands. Others call themselves Democrats for votes; we are Democrats in the true sense, which decrees that the people shall rule. No party convention has assembled in many years under the shadow and stress of greater national perils and business difficulties than now threaten the peace and prosperity of the American people. In 1892 the Democrats declared, with that pithy rhetoric they so readily employ, that protection has never fostered any industry except that of the sheriff. The Nation has now learned that the Democratic supremacy, which was obtained under that platform, greatly fosters one other important American industrythat of the militia. From the summit of the national prosperity we have fallen into the bottomless gulf of business chaos.

CURSE OF BOURBON RULE. "After seventeen months of Bourbon rule, manufacture and commerce still wait breathless to know the extent of the partisan riot and diabolism they are expected to survive. Business dies of apprehension, while the Democratic executioner with exquisite and cruel dailiance, is still whetting his knife, and even the merciless rawhide of a Democratic President fails to relieve the suspense by precipitating the fatal blow. It is not alone the avowed doctrines and open practices of the Democratic party which the country fears. Deep down below all the professions and pretenses of Democracy resides a spirit which, in the public conviction, is known to be the foe of American prosperity and business stability. That spirit is the spirit that makes for mammon in politics, the spirit which dallies along the edge of the abyss of unrest and violence and furnishes to the ignorant · and lawless, during party campaigns, the watchword and rallying cries of which riots are organized and property and tives are destroyed after the campaign is over. It is the spirit which foments social disturbances for party gain, which conjures up the evil genius of disorder that will not again down, and which, in the secret hours of night, posts up inflammatory placards to incense ignorance against law and all for dishonest party advantage.

"The Democratic leaders have always appealed to ignorance and built on prejudice. They praise American enterprise and foster the industries of England. They burn out their candle in the service of monopoly and then blow the stuff in the faces of the dear people. They carry a kiss for the Amreican laborer's cheek and a dagger for his fifth rib. They have always favored the capitalist against the laborer, and the man of fixed income against the producer. Their real philosophy is a small class to rule through pretense and fraud and the many ignorant enough to submit to such rule, and it is precisely where such conditions exist that the Democratic party

has always been strong. After ex-Governor Fifer had finished the tumult that resulted in laying the senatorial nomination on the table followed. Quiet being restored the report of the committee on resolutions was read and adopted as

"The Republican party of the State of Illinois reaffirms its belief in the great principles of civil and religious liberty on which the government was founded and under which the people have enjoyed unexampled prosperity and happiness, and believing that the restoration of the Republican party to power in the government of the country would promote the general welfare of the people and is the chief condition of renewed prosperity, this convention most respectfully and cordially invites all good citizens, irrespective of political antecedents, to unite in supporting the Republican cause in the next election. We earnestly maintain the right and justice of the American doctrine of protection to American industries. In raising the necessary revenue to maintain the government we are in favor of such duties on competing imports as will best tend to the development of the resources of our own country, of the labor of our own people performed at wages which put the comforts of life within easy reach and secure good prices for the products alike of our farms, our mines and our workshops, and we believe that articles that cannot be successfully produced in this country, except luxuries, should be placed on the free We further believe that without labor there is no such thing as raw material of any practical or marketable value and no tangible thing of value that it does not require labor to produce or utilize, and hence the importation of so-called raw material free of duty is an interference with the system of protection to American labor and should only be permitted when the raw material is unobtainable in our country. We denounce as unwise and un-American the provisions of the so-called Wilson tariff bill, modified in the Senate by the injection of weak and inconsistent attempts to protect special interests as now pending in Congress, and we charge the Democratic party with the sole responsibility for the effort to destroy our tariff system which has proven the greatest boon to the great mass of American citizens, and we further declare that the unusual and unnatural conditions now existing in this Nation petween capital and labor, which have led to lawlessness, bloodshed, the interruption of business and brought misfortune to all, are the natural result of the false economic theories, vacillating policy and hopeless incompetency of the Democratic party, and to remove the evil thus created, restore prosperity and bring health to the body of the people, it is necessary that the Republican party should be restored to power.

"We favor bimetallism and believe in the use of gold and silver as money metals on a parity of values with complete interconvertibility under such legislative provisions as shall make the purchasing or debt-paying power of any dollar coined or issued by the United States, the absolute equivalent of that of any other dollar so coined or "We believe in the purity of the ballo:

and the freedom of elections and we hold that the true freedom of elections is obtained and secured only by and under law. The Republicans of Illinois are in favor of the largest personal liberty consistent with the law and order.

"We favor the payment of liberal pensions to the soldiers and sailors of the Union and to the surviving dependents as a sacred obligation due from the entire people and we insist that in the allotment and distribution of pension funds, technical and burdensome restrictions should not be

imposed. "We condemn in emphatic terms the course pursued by the present national administration towards the people of Hawaii in attempting to overthrow a friendly govproment, re-establish a corrupt monarchy and force on them a barbarous Queen. "We arraign the present Democratic Gov-

ernor of Illinois as the most conspicuous case of misfit in official life. From the day on which he began to debase the penal reformatory, charitable institutions and publie parks in the State into infirmaries and asylums for politicians, to the present time, he has shown such wonderful aptitude in doing the wrong thing at all times that the people of the State, irrespective of party, await with undisguised impatience the expiration of his term of office.

This convention approves with all cordiality the unswerving fidelity of the entire Republican delegation in Congress from Illinois in the maintenance of Republicanism in the House of Representatives and It also returns thanks to Senator Cullom for his able, patriotic and vigilant opposition to that monstrosity of trust legislation, the Senate tariff bill.

Nominations being in order, Henry Wulff, of Chicago; W. W. Tracy, of Springfield, and S. D. Atkins, of Rockford, were placed in nomination for State Treasurer. Wulff received a majority of votes on the first ballot and was then unanimously nomi-

For Superintendent of Public Instruction, Prof. S. M. Ingliss, of Cariloville; Alfred Bayliss, of Sterling; J. H. Brownlee, of Champaign; W. E. Hood, of Randolph; R. A. Haight, of Alton; J. F. Slade, of Belleville, and J. D. Benedict, of Danville,

were put up. Ingliss was chosen on the For Trustees of the State University, S. A. Bullard and Alexander McLean were re-

nominated, and Mrs. J. M. Flower, of Chicago, selected as the third nominee. The convention adjourned at 9:30 o'clock. The district caucuses selected the State committee for the coming year, as follows: T. N. Jamieson, W. G. Ball, Charles W. Deneen, S. H. Case Madison R. Harris, H. L. Hertz, all of Chicago; I. C. Copely, Aurora; Howard O. Hilton, Winnebago county; James McKinney, Mercer county; Walter Reeves, Streator; E. S. Willard, Will county; L. S. Wilson, Champaign; I. O. Edward, Peoria; W. H. H. Hamline, Macomb county; Charles Runnels, Pisgah; W. J. Calhoun, Macon county; W. A. Haskell, Madison county; C. P. Hitch, Edgar coun-

Governor Joseph W. Fifer was named for | Stoker, Centralia; W. C. S. Ray, William-

A SENSATIONAL PRAYER. The Rev. Weaver, of Iowa, Calls for

the Removal of Democrats.

DES MOINES, Ia., July 25 .- The largest and most enthusiastic Republican State convention for several years met to-day at Calvary Tabernacle, Hon. John N. Baldwin, of Council Bluffs, temporary chair-

The prayer of Rev. J. L. Weaver, tor-merly pastor of the Christian Church here, was a sensational feature of the morning session. He began by invoking the divine blessing on the country in this hour of peril; asked that its enemy, the Democratic party, be merciful as possible, and that the people be thankful for all the good it did, if it did anything to elicit their sympathies, and closed by appealing to Omnipotence to assist in expediting the Democratic party from power, and lay the hand of divine displeasure on it, and restrain it forever from the exercise of government authority. At the afternoon session the following

ominations were made by acclamation: Secretary of State-W. M. McFarland, of Estherville. Auditor of State-C. G. McCarthy, of Judges Supreme Court-C. T. Granger, Waukeon, and H. E. Deemer, of Red

State Treasurer-John S. Herriott, of Stuart; nominated on the mird ballot. Attorney-general-Milton Remley, of Iowa City; nominated on the fourth ballot. The ticket was completed to-night as follows:

Railroad Commissioner-C. L. Davidson. Sioux county. Clerk Supreme Court-Chris Jones, Washington county. Reporter Supreme Court-B. I. Sallinger, Po!k county. It was nearly 9 o'clock before the delegates reassembled for the night session, and the heat was so intense that all suf-

fered greatly. The committee on resolu-

tions reported, and the platform was adopted, as follows: "The Republican party comes again before the people of Iowa with every promiseperformed and every prophecy fulfilled. The history of the past year has again demonstrated the unfitness and incompetency of the Democratic party to administer the affairs of the Nation, and has again vindicated the eternal truth of Republican principles. From the universal disaster that has accompanied Democratic supremacy we turn with confident hope to the sacred duty of restoring peace to a distracted and disordered country. We again declare for a system of protective duties so adjusted that every American resource can be developed by American labor receiving American wages, and we insist on a tariff that will accomplish these ends. We have but to mention the disastrous results which have followed the mere menace of free trade as conclusive evidence of the wisdom of the Republican policy in the past on this subject. We adhere to the declaration of the national Republican party in 1892 on its monetary policy. We reaffirm our belief that the interests of the country, its farmers and workingmen demand that every dollar, paper or coin, issued by the government shall be as good as any other dollar. We favor the largest possible use of silver as money that is consistent with the permanent maintenance of equal values of all dollars in circulation. We do not want monometallism, either of gold or silver, and we pledge ourselves to continue to work for bimetallism, to be brought about by all fit means within the power of the govern-ment. The welfare of the laborer and the maintenance of the dignity of labor have been the constant care of the Republican party from its birth. Its whole history is an effort to secure to the wage worker his just share of the fruits of toil; and it now renews its pladge to defend the working-

man not only against the assaults of foreign competition, but against the attacks of domestic avarice. 'Resolved, that the honest and industrious immigrant who comes to our land with the intent to become in good faith an American citizen is always welcome. None other should be permitted to come. We favor the amendment and more stringent enforcement of the immigration laws so as to exclude criminal, pauper and all other undesirable clases whose presence tends to degrade American labor and incite

disorder "The Republican party, ever mindful of the patriotic services and sacrifices of the veteran soldiers of the Republic, reaffirms its position of liberality to the Nation's defenders. We favor the granting of pensions to all honorably discharged Union soldiers and sailors whose disabilities or necessities justly entitle them thereto."

FAILED TO NOMINATE.

Wisconsin Convention Adjourns After

Five Ballots. MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 25.-The Republican State convention was unable to select a candidate for Governor to-night, the forces of the leading candidates, Upham, Schofield and Haugen, making a hard struggle to win over the straggling vote and break into each other's ranks. Major Upham retires to-night with a shade the best of the situation, although the adjournment is in the nature of a victory for the other candidates, who will spend the time from now until to-morrow in an effort to win over weak-kneed delegates, any there be. The convention took five ballots this evening and then adjourned until to-morrow. Each ballot showed clear gain for Upham, the last giving him 130½ votes, Haughen, 88; Schofield, 52½; Taylor, 30; Warner, 9; Magdeburg, 4; Kidd, 3; Monahan, 1; Caswell, 16; Blackstock. At the evening session the following

platform was adopted: 'We reaffirm the platform adopted at he national Republican convention and ilso the platform adopted by the State Republican convention in 1892, and renew our pledges to the people as set forth therein. The present condition of the counry, resulting from the threatened change n the industrial policy by the Democratic party, the hundreds of factories and workshops closed down, the thousands of men out of employment, are the best witnesses which can be brought to testify to the wislom of the policy of protection to home industries which has always been sustained and fostered by the Republican party. The Republican party is a friend of both labor and capital. Each is indispensable to the other. The party had its origin in opposiion to the enslavement and degradation of labor, and under its policy the workingmen of the United States received a higher rate of wages and attained a degree of comfort and influence such as they had never previously enjoyed. It will employ whatever authority it possesses to promote all just demands of the wage worker and support whatever practical measures can be devised for the amelioration of his conlition. We recognize the right of laborers o organize, using all honorable measures for the purpose of dignifying their condition and p' ring them on an equal footing with cap at, to the end that both fully understand that they are friends and are

"The Republican party is in favor of honest money. We are unalterably opposed to any scheme that will give to this country a debased or depreciated currency. We favor the use of silver as a currency to the extent only that it can be circulated on a parity with gold.

equal to each other and to the prosperity

The Republican party is a party of religious liberty and absolute nonsectariansm, of entire senaration of church and state, of free common schools and of the utmost independence of individual thought, speech and action within the law. The convention then proceeded to the first informal ballot, which gave Upham Schoffeld, 6612; Haugen, 61; Monahan Taylor, 39, and the rest scattering. this point it adjourned till 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Harmony in Fulton. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ROCHESTER, Ind., July 25 .- The action of Charles B. Landis and Judge Johnston in withdrawing from the congressional contest in this, the Tenth, district, meets the hearty approval of both factions, and the prospects are now very bright for the election of a Republican Congressman. Republicans here who have been active, either as supporters of Landis or Johnston, are now in accord with the idea that there shall be harmony in the ranks, and whoever receives the nomination at the convention to be held Aug. 22 will be given the undivided support of the party in Fulton county. The district is well supplied with congressional timber, and among the men who, it is believed, would attain success are William T. Wilson, Judge Chase and Quincy Myers, of Logansport; Judge Gould, of Delphi; Judge Hammond, of Rensselaer; Judge Crumpacker, of Valparaiso; George W. Holman, of Rochester, and Charles Griffin, of Hammond.

Harmony Committee Appointed. NEW YORK, July 25.-The Republican State central committee is in session today. A committee of five was appointed to consider the differences between the

elements in the party generally designated as the committee of thirty and the Milholland-Platt factions. The committee is composed of three Pla. men, one whose sympathy is with the thirties and one doubtful. The State convention will meet

Sept. 18 at Saratoga, After the adjournment of the committee ex-Senator Platt was in high spirits, as he had reason to be, for the result was regarded as a victory for him. He declared that nothing was further from his mind than to discredit the regular organization ty; J. H. Miller, Hamilton county; W. A. I He believed that the committee appointed I street.

to-day would harmonize all the differences and that a united and harmonious party would be the result within thirty days.

John Savine Smith, spokesman of the committee of thirty in the State committee. said after the meeting: "There is but one organization representing the Republican party in the county of New York, and there has been but one since the adoption of the first constitution in 1871. That or-ganization is the regular one, of which William Brookfield is now president."

Still in a Deadlock. PITTSBURG, Pa., July 25.-The Republican conferees of the Twenty-fifth congressional district met again to-day, but were unable to break the deadlock and adjourned until next Monday.

Jere Simpson Renominated. HUTCHINSON, Kan., July 25 .- Jerry Simpson was nominated by acclamation at the Populist congressional convention here

DEBS CASE GOES OVER

BONDS REDUCED TO \$7,000 AND EU-GENE IS NOW OUT OF JAIL.

Fiery Speech That Irritated Judge Woods in the United States Court Yesterday.

CHICAGO, July 25.-Attorney A. W. Erwin, counsel for the A. R. U. officers, afforded a sensation in the contempt proceedings to-day by violently assailing the government officers and indirectly attacking the court. During his speech, which was delivered immediately after the adverse decision of the court on the defendants' motion to quash the information against the prisoners, Judge Woods was visibly excited, and, although retaining control of his anger, showed his suppressed excitement by his trembling hands and agitated expression. Mr. Erwin asserted that in case of injustice the power of the people, back of the government, reverts to the people, and as he spoke his tall frame quivered with excitement. His gestures were wild and his voice rose almost to a shriek. Beginning his speech with a review of the troubles leading up to the strike, Mr. Erwin declared that the railroads had entered into a conspiracy to sustain the Pullman company in the latter's fight with their employes. The court must decide the supreme question, he said, whether the men were not justified in resenting such a conspiracy when the courts

were silent regarding it. "Such a conspiracy did exist," he said, "and the courts and officers of the government gave no redress. The question is whether the people are sovereign or whether they have delegated all their powers to combinations and representatives who are asleep. Had not the men a right to resist this conspiracy of the railroads to sustain Pullman in his inhumanity and

After the closing arguments Judge Woods delivered a brief opinion formally overruling the motion of the defense to quash the informations against the A. R. U. officers. Judge Grosscup then announced that he had taken no part in the decision on the motion to quash, and he announced further that he would take no further part in the contempt proceedings, for the reason that the defendants are under indictment in the United States District Court, over which he presides, and the same questions of law will be raised under indictments. In fairness to the defendants Judge Grosscup said he would not sit any longer in the investigation of the charge of contempt. After making this announcement Judge Grosscup left the bench. District Attor-ney Milchrist announced that special counsel Edwin Walker was ill and could not attend the hearing. He said that he (Milchrist) will go out of office on Aug. 2, and Mr. Walker will be left the sole counsel in the case, and suggested that the hearing be postponed until Mr. Walker is able to take charge of it. After considering the district attorney's suggestion the court announced that the case would be continued until Sept 5. Debs and his associate went into consultation regarding the giving of bail and the court adjourned. By order of the court the bail of the four prisoners was reduced to \$7,000 each. The bonds first re-

quired were \$10,000 each. Debs, Howard, Keliher and Rogers, after lengthy conference with their attorneys this afternoon, decided to give bail. Since the commitment to jail the prisoners have refused numerous offers, but because of the continuance of the hearing until September decided to change their tactics William Skakel and William Fitzgerald appeared as bondsmen and the four men were

released. Strikers Armed and Drilling. UNIONTOWN, Pa., July 25 .- The strikers of the southern end of the coke region were marching again to-day, an armed body passing Cool Spring, en route to Scottdale, where a mass meeting was held this afternoon. The number of armed strikers in the region is increasing daily, and the fact is creating much alarm. At daylight several bodies of men assembled at Cool Spring, where armed companies have been drilling for several weeks. After a drill all left for the meeting. The strikers assert that they have the right to bear arms. Complaints against Sheriff Wilhelm have been filed with the Governor by the Frick and McClure coke companies to the effect that the proclamation is being defied and that Sheriff Wilhelm is making no effort to stop it. The sheriff yesterday received a communication from the Governor concerning his ability to cope with

bodies of deputies and require the disarming of the strikers.

the trouble. He now says he will organize

Started with a Dozen Men. CHICAGO, July 25 .- The Allen paper car wheel works at Pullman started up today with about a dozen new men. The officials of the company say they have no connection with the Pullman company beyond renting power from it; that they have notified their employes to return to work, guaranteeing them protection, and that unless they return the company proposed to go ahead and operate the works with new men. There is no evidence of weakening among the Pullman strikers. They have a perfect bicycle patrol system and keep all who show a disposition to return to work under espionage.

K. of L. to Fight Congressmen. OMAHA, July 25 .- The general executive board of the Knights of Labor to-day completed arrangements for canvassing Nebraska in the interest of the Populist party, and State Workman D'Allmand was sent out to confer with the Populistic central committee and fix dates for twenty-four railies during the fall campaign. The general secretary was instruct ed to carefully prepare a list of all Congressmen who have opposed the demands of the Knights of Labor, and extra efforts will be made to defeat them. Copies of the list were ordered sent to all local assemblies in the United States.

Massillon Strike Still Unsettled. CLEVELAND, O., July 25 .- A settlement of the Massillon coal strike was apparently as far off as ever when the operators adjourned their meeting at the Weddell House to-day. The strike has been a stubborn one, lasting since last February, and

the opinion was expressed after to-day's

meeting that the prospects were good for just as much stubbornness on both sides for another long siege. The operators said they would pay sixty cents or nothing, and if that figure was not accepted by the miners they would remain closed. No More Need of Troops. CHICAGO, July 25 .- Mayor Hopkins visited Pullman this evening to look over the situation, and, as he was leaving, declared that he saw no necessity of keeping any

soldiers if the Pullman company did not

intend to start up its works. The matter

will probably be determined within a few

days. Some of the troops were called back To Continue the Strike at Oakalad. OAKLAND, Cal., July 25.-The local lodge of the A. R. U. held a meeting, this evening, at which between 500 and 600 members were present. By an almost unanimous vote it was decided to continue the strike, at least until the Southern Pacific managers should signify a willingness to take the

men back in a body. Bicycle Races.

We are closing out a few sample high grade bicycles, including one Remington racer and several Columbus and Yost wheels. All 1894 models and light weights. at cost. A rare chance to get a bike cheap Also have a few ladies' and children's wheels. ROOTS & CO., 196 South Meridian

THE FONTANET WRECK

STORY THAT, IF TRUE, WILL ESTAB-LISH AN ALIBI FOR HOLLOWAY.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

Ceremonies at Father Dinnen's Jubilee -Cold-Blooded Murder in Vermillion County-State News.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., July 25 .-There have been some new developments in the matter of the wrecking of the Big Four night express at Fontanet, on the night of July 12, that, for some cause, have been kept quiet by the county officers and railroad officials. Edward M. Holloway, who is charged with throwing the switch. is in jail at Terre Haute, convicted of the crime before the coroner and awaiting the preliminary trial on next Monday. After giving his testimony before the coroner Holloway denied being implicated in any manner with the affair, and told the coroner that he was at Rosedale that night, where he called at a restaurant and procured a sandwich. While in the restaurant he told about being chased from a Big Four freight train at Fontanet and driven from the place by the strikers, who struck him on the head with a rock, making the wound he carried. The next day a Vigo county official went to Rosedale to investigate the matter, and, upon returning, informed the newspaper men that he was through with talking to them, and they would have to wait until what he found out was produced at the preliminary hearing. Thus the matter rested until yesterday, when a brother of Holloway went from here to Rosedale to see if he could find out what the sheriff had learned. He called upon Samuel H. Hogan, the restaurant man, and, without making himself known, commenced talking about the wreck and the man charged with causing the disaster. The restaurant man told him that he had made an affidavit to the effect that a man answering the description of the suspect had called at his place of business about 10 o'clock on the night of the wreck and asked for bologna sausage. This he did not have, but he gave Holloway a sandwich. Holloway satt down to eat it, and told him about the trouble he had had at Fontanet. Holloway said that he had been forced by the strikers to leave his freight train, and then the strikers chased him out of town. The wound on his head, he said, was caused by being struck by a rock thrown by a striker. Mr. Hogan was told these things by Holloway three hours before the wreck, and at a place six miles from Fontanet. If Holloway threw the switch he must have walked back, six miles, to Fontanet, wrecked the train and then walked seventeen miles, to Rockville by 6 a, m. next day. If this be true it will probably establish an alibi in his case.

FATHER DINNER'S JUBILEE.

Ceremonies and Banquet at Crawfordsville in Honor of a Priest.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., July 25 .-There were many prominent church persons in the city to-day to celebrate the silver jubilee of Rev. John R. Dinnen, pastor of the Catholic Church in this city. The event was in commemoration of his first high mass in St. Patrick's Church in Chicago, July 25, 1869. During yesterday and last night many priests and acquaintances of Father Dinnen arrived, and were present at high mass this morning. The church was profusely decorated with cut flowers, plants, cedar and flags. Solemn high mass was celebrated at 10 o'clock with the following programme: Celebrant, Rev. John R. Dinnen; deacon, Very Rev. M. E. Campion; subdeacon, Rev. John Blackman; master of ceremonies, Rev. W. J. Quinlan; sermon, Rev. Stanislaus

From the church the invited friends and guests of Father Dinnen marched to the banquet hall. Nearly one hundred persons were seated at the tables, and after all had partaken of the rich collation toasts were responded to by Colone Sexton, of Chicago; Gen. Lew Wallace, Father Dorney, of Chicago; Judge Howard, of the Appellate Court, Fort Wayne; J. H. Brammer, Fort Wayne; and Hon. Washington Hesing, of Chicago. This evening, at Music Hall, Hon-Washington Hesing, postmaster of Chicago, delivered an address on "Patriotism."

Father Dinnen was born in 1843 at Burlington, Vt., where he resided until his parents moved to Chicago in 1858. In that city he was employed as an office boy in the ticket office of the Illinois Central, where he remained for a short time. He then opened the first news stand estab-lished in the Chicago postoffice. Afterwards he purchased a stationery store in the same city. In 1861 he was chosen professor of penmanship at the Notre Dame University at South Bend, and while there studied for the priesthood. On July 22, 1869, he was ordained by Bishop Luers, at Wayne. His first work was as an assistant to Father Hamilton, of St Mary's, in Lafayette. He also had charge of the mission work at Lebanon and Clarkshill. In 1870 he went to Oxford and took charge of the Catholic church there. He has been instrumental in erect ng churches at Fowler and State Ditch and finishing the Oxford church. On Oct. 8, 1875, he was appointed assistant pastor at the Fort Wayne Cathedral, and on May 18, 1878, he came to this city, the successor to Father Walters, who recently died at Lafayette. Since coming to this he has canceled a church debt of \$3,954 and erected a pastoral residence at a cost of \$5,000.

JEFF STARK'S CRIME. Shot Three Times at His Stepfather Then Brained Him.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. Stark, aged thirty, killed his stepfather, near Gessie, Vermillion county. While drunk Stark shot at his stepfather, whose name is Henry Skinner, three times, but missed him. Then he seized a spade and brained the old man, after which he tried to kill his mother, but she escaped. He went home and told his wife what he had done, and, after sobering up, went to the stepfather's home, where he washed and arranged the body of his victim. He says he had no reason for the deed, and did not know what he was doing.

Stark in Jail at Newport.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. NEWPORT, Ind., July 25 .- Stark was brought to this city and committed to jail. He lives about three miles north of Perrysville, Ind. After murdering Mr. Skinner ha began beating his mother with the spade. He struck her on the hand once, nearly cutting it off. Stark's preliminary trial was held here before Esquire Parrett.

THE HERRON WEITECAPPING. One of the Men Implicated Claims He Can Prove an Alibi. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

GREENSBURG, Ind., July 25 .- Morgan Myers, who is charged by George B. Herron with whitecapping him, Sunday night, at Burney's Station, Decatur county, was seen to-day. Myers claims that he, with his wife and child, came to this place Sunday morning, and stopped with Morgan Hamilton, his father-in-law, remaining here all the time until 7 o'clock Monday morning, when he went to his farm, near Burney's. His wife is in ill health, and left on Monday morning for Martinsville, and the fact that she was going away was the reason he remained here over night. He gives a full account of his whereabouts Sunday and Sunday night, and his statement is corroborated by David W. Hamilton, who occupied a room next to him. Herron claims Myers is the man who fired a pistol over his head, and, with an oath, declared he would kill him if he did not leave. Myers says he is not the owner o a pistol and has not had one in his hands for over three years. Myers is a highlyrespected citizen, a member of church, a Mason, a bank director and a farmer, and does not use profane language, and it will take a great deal of evidence to make the people of Decatur county believe that he would go into the whitecapping business to get rid of an objectionable citizen.

FRANKFORT ABSCONDER. Ex-County Recorder Wood Has Forged \$25,000 Worth of Paper.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. FRANKFORT, Ind., July 25.-William Wood, ex-county recorder and stock dealer, mysteriously disappeared from home last Monday, and to-day it was discovered that besides being largely in debt he has forged notes to the amount of many thousand dollars. Ten thousand dollars in spurious Highest of all in Leavening Power .- Latest U.S. Gov't Report

ABSOLUTELY PURE

rich father-in-law, N. J. Bond, is the forged name on the notes. His indebtedness is supposed to be nearly \$25,000. The money is supposed to have gone to the Chicago Board of Trade. Wood was one of the most popular men in Clinton county and his downfall is a great surprise to everybody. He was last heard of at Toledo, where he told a friend he was going to Buffalo on business.

SHE'S PRETTIER THAN EVER. Young Widow of Lebanon Fails Heir to \$43,000.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LEBANON, Ind., July 25.-Mrs. Nellie Jones, the pretty young widow, who received notice of the death of an aunt in Boston, a short time ago, leaving her a snug fortune, left for that city to-day, accompanied by Patrick H. Dutch, her attorney, to claim her estate. Her legacy is estimated at \$43,000. Mrs. Jones has received a number of letters from strangers, who would be pleased to assist her in disposing of her wealth.

Holiness Meetings at New Albany. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. NEW ALBANY, Ind., July 25 .- The first services of the National Holiness Association were begun to-day at the camp grounds, on Silver Heights, west of this city. The meetings will continue ten days, and be in charge of Rev. M. D. Collins, of Boston, Mass., in the absence of Rev. William McDonald, of Boston, president of the association, who is too ill to be present. He will be assisted by Rev. F. B. Brezer, of California; Rev. G. W. Wilson, of Iowa; Rev. G. A. McLaughlin, of Illinois, and a number of other notable ministers and evangelists throughout the country. The Ohio Falls Holiness Association has been in session since Monday, Rev. M. L. Saney, of Illinois, and Rev. S. M. Mc-Naughton, of Franklin, Ind., conducting the services. At the close of the National Holiness Association's meetings the German Holiness Association will occupy the grounds for one week, making twenty days of continuous services. The German meetings will be in charge of Rev. J. F. Sevringhaus, of Huntington, Ind., formerly of this city. Over 150 cottages and tents on the camp grounds are now occupied by vis-

Literally Cut to Pieces.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAFAYETTE, Ind., July 25 .- Shortly before noon, to-day, an accident occurred on the Monon railway in the heart of the city. A young man named Henry Niehus was riding on a freight train, and when near the crossing of Columbia and Fifth streets, in attempting to pass from one car to another, fell between the cars to the track. A number of citizens saw the boy fall. Three cars passed over him with-out touching his body. Then he seemed to be trying to get out, and raised his head a little. The brake beam struck him upon the head and threw his body on the track. Coroner Davidson says it was the worst mutilated body he ever saw. Both hands and legs were cut off, and the body, from the head down, was torn to pieces. Niehus was seventeen years old and was following the dangerous custom of climbing off and on moving trains.

Boy Killed by a Horse.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ELWOOD, Ind., July 25.-An accident occurred last evening at Point Isabel, a small village a few miles north of this city, which resulted in the death of the tenyear-old son of William Compton. The boy, who was a parlytic cripple, had been sent by a neighbor to a blacksmith shop with an unruly horse, to get it shod, during the absence of his parents, who had come to this city to do some marketing. The animal threw the boy off on the road and struck him a number of times with his fore feet, causing death. Word was at once sent to his parents here, but the boy was dead when they arrived.

Indian Relies Found.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ORLEANS, Ind., July 25.-John Dixon, a farmer living about seven miles southwest of this place, found three valuable Indian relics in a cave near his house last Saturday. The relics consisted of a spearhead, tomahawk and a hunting knife, the latter having the date of 1701. All were deeply incrusted with rust, and have doubtless laid upon the shelving rock where they were found for many years. The spearhead and tomahawk are made of iron, and the knife has a steel blade and a copper handle. They were probably made and traded to the Indians by some of the early white settlers of this country.

Buggy Struck by Lightning.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ELKHART, Ind., July 25.-Last night, while Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Batchelor were on their way home north of this city, during a terrific thunderstorm, their carriage was struck by lightning, and both the occupants thrown out and rendered unconscious for over an hour, when they were found by a passer, whose horse refused to go by. The night was so dark that the driver could not see the prostrate TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 25.-Jeff bodies. After much effort the Batchelors regained consciousness. Their horse was also stunned for several hours.

Deputy Prosecutor Under Arrest. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

PENDLETON, Ind., July 25.-Ira Collins, of Ingalls, an ex-auditor of Hancock, and at present deputy prosecutor under Prosecutor Campbell, of this county, was arrested while in Pendleton, yesterday evening, for unlawfully demanding money from parties for whose arrest warrants were issued, and whom he was expected to prosecute. The trial will come before Squire Manning, to-morrow. Deputy Prosecutor Retherford Kittinger, of Anderson, and Barrett, of Pendleton, will appear for the State.

Daylight Escape of Prisoners. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

UNION CITY, Ind., July 25 .- During the Barnum & Bailey parade to-day seven pickpockets were caught by Frank Hook, detective with the show; Sheriff Fletcher and city officials. They were all taken to the city prison, with four others arrested for other offenses, making eleven in all. At noon two Italians entered the outside room, and while one watched the other took a heavy iron and beat off the lock on the east door of the cage, letting all the prisoners out. They all escaped over the

At Engle Lake.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WARSAW, Ind., July 25.-The large tabernacle was crowded yesterday afternoon to hear Dr. E. L. Eaton lecture on "The Beginning and End of All Things." In the evening the Smith sisters gave their farewell concert, in which they were assisted by Misses Maud and Grace Quivey and Professors Denny and Van Copper. The Smith sisters left for St. Louis to-day. This afternoon Senator O. Z. Hubbell, of Elkhart, Ind., gave his lecture, "The Errors of an Atheist."

Actor Graham Earle in the Asylum.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAPORTE, Ind., July 25 .- The Chicago Sanitarium, in this city, an institute for the treatment of insane and alcohol patients, to-day received Graham Earle, the well-known actor. Earle is unbalanced in mind, and a few seasons ago, together with his former wife, Agatha Singleton, whom he deserted for a member of his then company, was one of the thost popular actors in the West. He was the auther of the six-night stands and popular prices plan of traveling theatrical com-

Insane Woman Burned to Death. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

SULLIVAN, Ind., July 25 .- The wife of Professor Siegel E. Rains, a schoolteacher, committed suicide at noon yesterday by setting fire to a brush heap and then jumping in it. Her relatives were out blackberry picking and had her along, but she slipped away from them and before they knew it had committed suicide in that manner. She had been an inmate of the Southern inpaper has already turned up, and a large I sane hospital and was probably temporarily

increase on that sum is expected. Wood's | insane when she committed the dreadful act. Her body was so horribly charred that the undertaken found it impossible to embalm or properly dress the remains. She was buried to-day near where she met her tragic end.

Will Try the Rev. Gelvin.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MADISON, Ind., July 25.-Rev. C. W. Tinsley, of this city: J. R. T. Lathrop, of Aurora: H. C. Pelson, of North Madison, and Thompson, of Vevay, will meet as a ministerial court at Patrlot to-morrow morning to try Rev. G. W. Gelvin for running off with a Presbyterian preacher's The court is expected to suspend Gelvin from all clerical functions until the meeting of the conference in September, when he can be expelled from the church and ministry.

Suicide Cut Her Hend Almost Off.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BEDFORD, Ind., July 25.-The Daily Mail here received information late this evening of a shocking suicide at Linville, Martin county, yesterday. Mrs. James Richey, secured possession of a razor and cut her throat, almost severing her head from the body. The unfortunate woman had been in poor health some time, and this, together with the illness of a favorite daughter, caused her to become despond-

Andersonians Off for Europe.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ANDERSON, Ind., July 25 .- This afternoon Hon. W. T. Durbin and D. F. Mustard, of the Citizens' Bank; J. L. Kilgore, prominent manufacturer, and H. J. Blacklidge, a retired merchant, left for New York, and will sail on Saturday for a two months' trip in Europe. Messrs, Durbin and Kilgore will join their families, who have been in Europe three months, in

Robbery Story a "Fake." Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

FRANKFORT, Ind., July 25 .- Richard Gates, the restaurant man, who reported to the officers that he had been kidnaped highwaymen, Sunday night, robbed of \$400 and thrown in Lake Alhambra, was arrested to-day, charged with embezzling \$500 of the Continental Insurance Company's money. The robbery story is thought to be a "fake," and Gates is in jail.

Mysterious Cattle Disease.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARTINSVILLE, Ind., July 25.-Cattle in Ray township are suffering from a mysterious malady, something akin to pink-eye. They are found wandering aimlessly about pastures, running against stumps and fences. The ailment has not been reported from any other locality. It is not known whether or not it is con-

Mangled in a Steam Fan. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

ANDERSON, Ind., July 25 .- Will Sherry, who recently came to Anderson from Dayton, O., was horribly mangled in the Anderson paper mill to-day. He lost his footing while oiling the engine and was thrown into a big fan that caught him on the arms and breast. When rescued his arms, hands and face were hacked almost into mince-

Burned the Jail and Escaped.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. UNION CITY, Ind., July 25.-Reddy Mc-Duffer, of Muncie, and Jim Evans, of this city, two prisoners charged with plain drunk, set fire to the Ohio-side calaboose this evening, resulting in its total destruction. Evans escaped across the State line to the Indiana side. McDuffer was cap-

tured. Both barely escaped with their lives. Schoolhouse Destroyed by Lightning. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAPORTE, Ind., July 25.-The High School building at Rolling Prairie was de-

stroyed by lightning. Loss, \$6,000; insurance, \$3,500, in Ohio Farmers'. Indiana Deaths.

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., July 25 .- Adolph Recenwahl, a wealthy citizen of Louisville, Ky., died at Handerson's Sanatorium here, to-day, aged forty. He had consumption, and leaves a wife and three children. Charles Hastings, aged seventy-four years, died yesterday evening of paralysis, at the home of his son-in-law, Dr. W. E. Hendricks. Mr. Hastings, born in Franklin county in 1820, came to this county in 1835, and was a well-to-do farmer. He has re-

sided in this locality almost three score PENDLETON, Ind., July 25.-Miss Bessie Patterson, one of the most highly respected and universally loved young wom-en of this vicinity, died this morning. She recently underwent a very painful and dangerous operation in a hospital in Indianapolis, which she survived and sufficiently recovered to be brought here a week ago, but since which time she rapidly

DECATUR, Ind., July 25.-John Burkhead, a pioneer of Adams county, died at his home in this city, early this morning, aged eighty.

Indiana Notes.

Subscriptions are being raised in Connersville for the purpose of purchasing the trotting park grounds and organizing a county fair this fail. A forty-acre field of wheat on the Pettit farm, two miles west of Wabash, caught are from a spark from a locomotive on the Wabash road, and one thousand bushels were destroyed. A fine orchard adjoining

the field was also destroyed. Loss, \$1,500.

Gen. T. C. Kelsey, with thirty-one of the Omaha industrial army, arrived in Connersville Monday night from Rushville and went into camp. After a harangue by the General the army left yesterday for Liberty, and expect to continue the march to Washington. The contract for the new Christian (Disciple) Church at Hartford City was let yesterday to D. A. Hendrickson. There were several bidders, Mr. Hendrickson's

bid, \$5,410, being the lowest. Work will

be commenced soon and the building will be completed this season. Henry Wheeler's Death.

Henry Wheeler died at his home, No. 43 Hadley avenue, West Indianapolis, at 11:20 o'clock last night. On Monday afternoon, July 16, during a drunken spree, he cut his throat. Dr. Deitch sewed up the gash, which was a long one. The wound was healing rapidly, when blood poisoning set in several days ago. He rapidly grew worse until his death last night. He was the Democratic marshal of West Indianapolis in 1891. He leaves a wife and five chil-

The Loss \$10,000.

The loss at John Bohmie's carriage works, early yesterday morning, will reach \$10,000. The frank Bird Transfer Company loses \$5,000, with \$2,500 insurance. Bonmie's loss is \$5,000, covered by insurance. Besides fourteen carriages the transfer company lost a \$600 scene truck.

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